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Attorney Docket No. L111.12-0102

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Title PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF CHEESE  
BASE AND THE PRODUCTS MADE THEREFROM

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
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- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
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9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))10. ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☒ Power of Attorney11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO – 1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
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1002 340 2002 170 ☐ Design Filing Fee

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

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1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3

1203 290 2203 145 Multiple Dependent Claims

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1205 18 2205 9 Reissue claims in excess of 20  
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1051 130 2051 65 Surcharge - Late filing fee or oath

1052 50 2052 25 Surcharge - Late provisional  
Filing Fee or cover sheet

1053 130 1053 130 Non-English specification

1812 2,520 1812 2,520 For Filing a Request for Reexamination.  
(ex parte)

1251 110 2251 55 Extension for reply within first month

1252 420 2252 210 Extension for reply within second month

1253 950 2253 475 Extension for reply within third month

1254 1,480 2254 740 Extension for reply within fourth month

1255 2,010 2255 1,005 Extension for reply within fifth month

1402 330 2402 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal

1403 290 2403 145 Request for oral hearing

1814 110 2814 55 Terminal Disclaimer Fee

1452 110 2452 55 Petition to Revive - unavoidable

1453 1,330 2453 665 Petition to Revive - unintentional

1501 1,330 2501 665 Utility/Reissue issue fee (inc. advance  
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1502 480 2502 240 Design issue fee (inc. advance copies)

1460 130 1460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner

1807 50 1807 50 Petitions related to provisional  
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1806 180 1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure  
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property (times number of properties) 40

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